AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER						Docket No. 2936-0241PUS1	
Application No. 10/535,247-Conf. #5978		Filing Date December 14, 2005		Examiner D. G. Cormier		Art Unit 1792	
Applicant(s): Hirokazu OOE et al.							
Invention: WASHING MACHINE (as amended)							
MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.							
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.							
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid	Number Extra Claims Present	Rate			
Total Claims	8	- 20 =	0	x 52.00		0.00	
Independent Claims	3	- 3 =	0	x 220.00		0.00	
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) Other fee (please specify): TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT: \[\text{No additional fee is required for this amendment.} \] \[\text{Small Entity} \] \[\text{No additional fee is required for this amendment.} \] \[\text{Please charge Deposit Account No.} \] \[\text{in the amount of \$ is enclosed.} \] \[\text{A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.} \] \[\text{Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.} \] \[\text{X The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No.} \] \[\text{02-2448} \] \[\text{as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.} \] \[\text{X Credit any overpayment.} \] \[\text{X Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.} \] \[\text{Charles Gorenstein Attorney Reg. No.:} 29,271 \] \[\text{BIRCH, STEWART, KOLASCH & BIRCH, LLP} \]							
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